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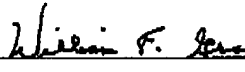
Sir:

In response to the official action dated 04/11/2006, the applicants elect to proceed with prosecution of restriction group I, and further elect the species of example 14.

Once the scope of claim 1 is determined, the applicants plan to review the remaining claims and make any amendments necessary to make them commensurate in scope with claim 1 so that rejoinder of as much of the presently-claimed subject matter will be facilitated.

Respectfully submitted,

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